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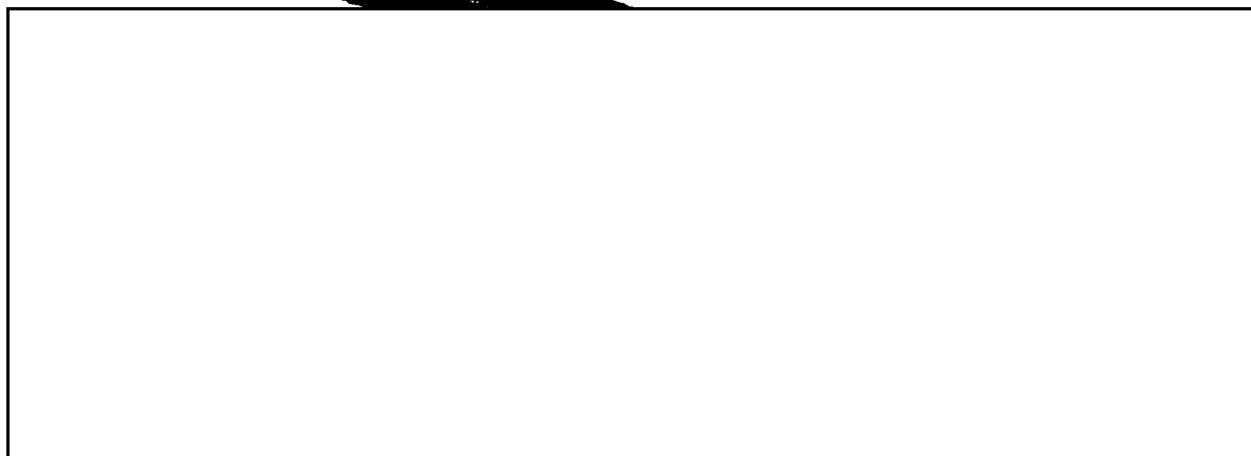
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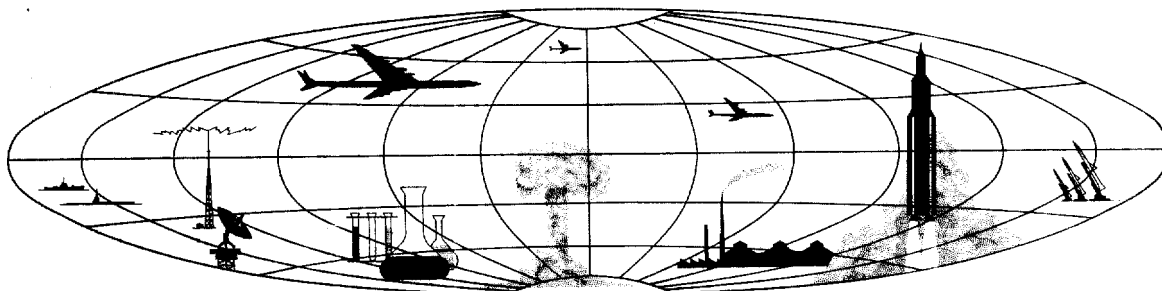


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Province of Communist China about 6.7 nautical miles (nm) south of Nan-k'ou [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] A hard-surface road of two or more lanes connects Yang-fang with Nan-k'ou.

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An installation at Yang-fang was covered by [REDACTED] photography; it consists of about 116 military-type buildings. However, the scale and quality do not permit detailed interpretation. [REDACTED]

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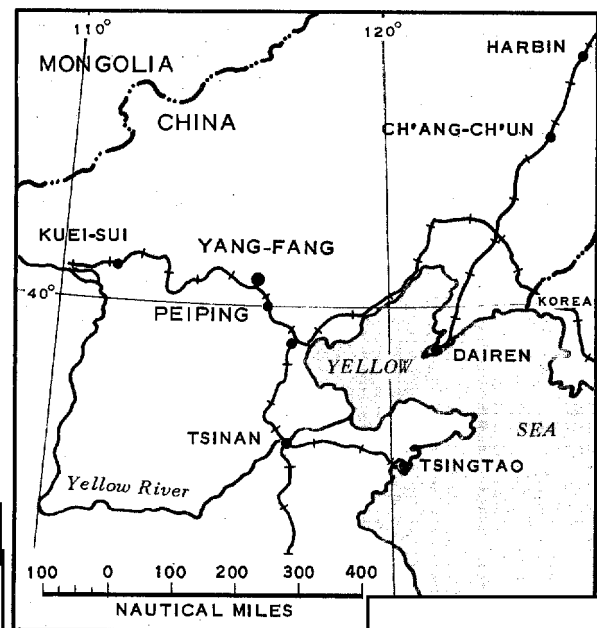


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF YANG-FANG.

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[REDACTED] The mission is probably military in nature; the buildings possibly house an army unit of regimental to divisional size.

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The buildings at Yang-fang have been compared with those of other installations in the area. Several installations between Yang-fang and Nan-k'ou contain buildings which are similar in arrangement and configuration to those at Yang-fang (Figure 2). One of these installations is located at T'ing-tzu-chuang (40-09N 116-08E). The installations between Yang-fang and Nan-k'ou are visible on large-scale photography [REDACTED] which does not cover Yang-fang.

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Figure 3 represents the layout patterns of two distinct groups of buildings at T'ing-tzu-chuang and shows their configuration and approximate

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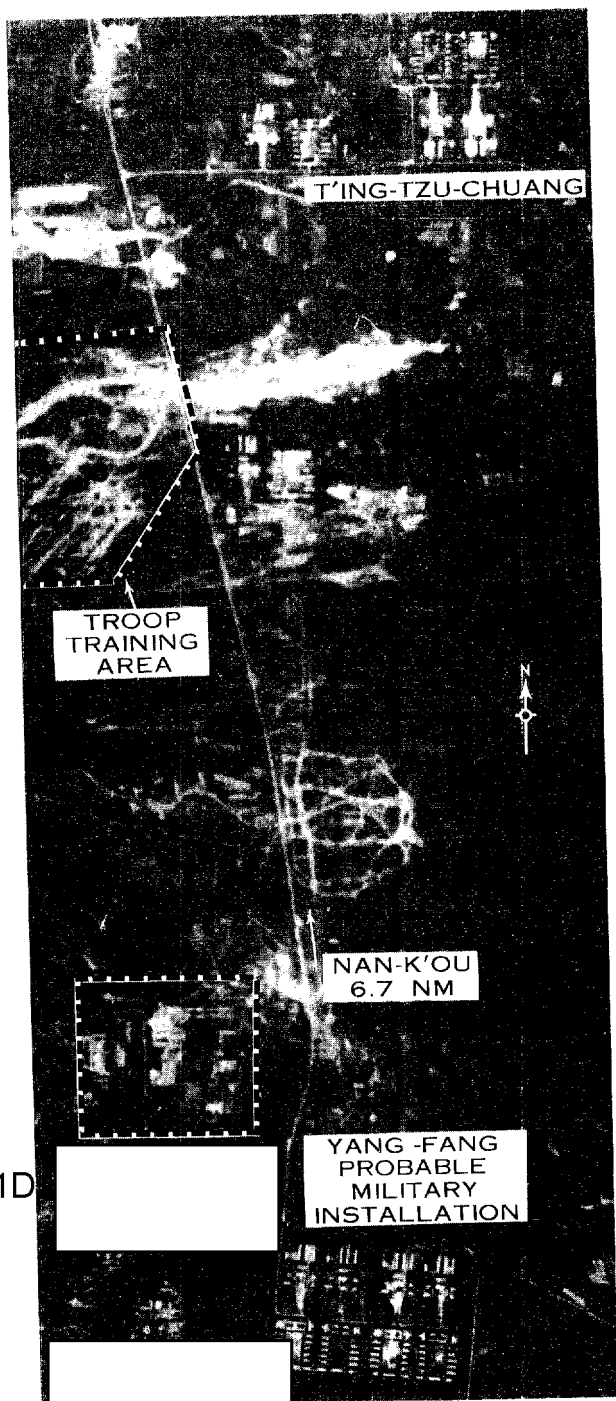


FIGURE 2. YANG-FANG AND NEARBY INSTALLATIONS. Note the similarity of building arrangements at Yang-fang and Ting-tzu-chuang.

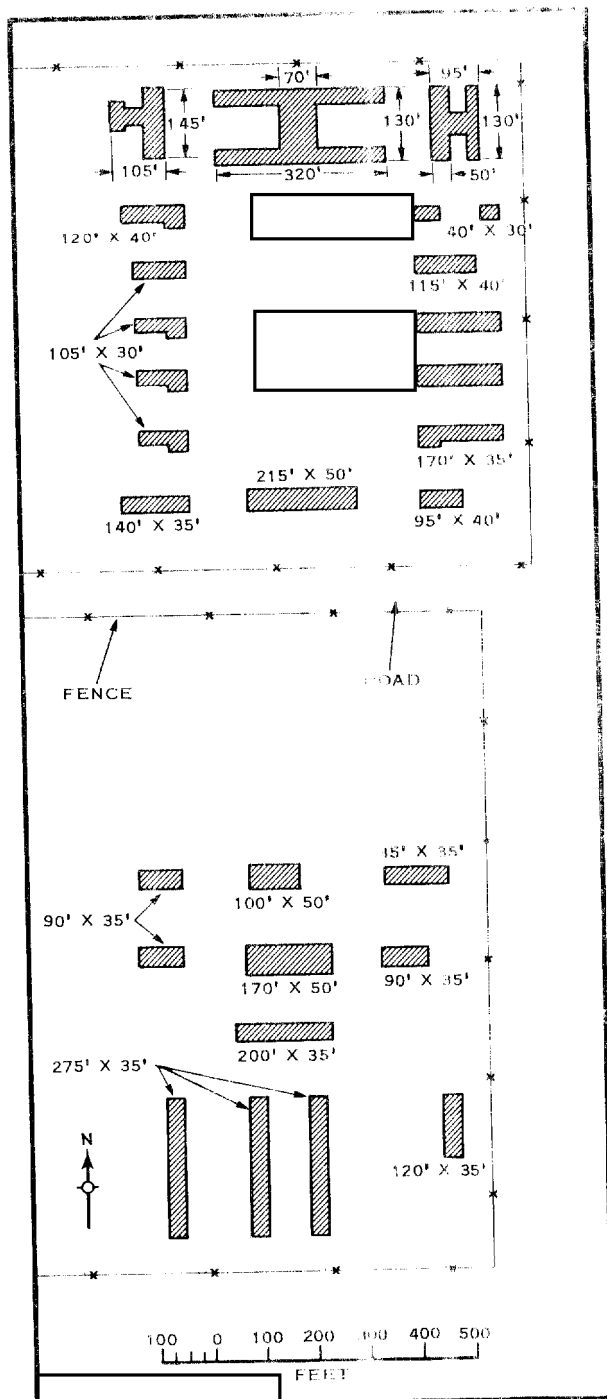


FIGURE 3. LAYOUT PATTERNS OF TWO DISTINCT GROUPS OF BUILDINGS AT T'ING-TZU-CHUANG. Dimensions are approximate. Drawing is based on photography.

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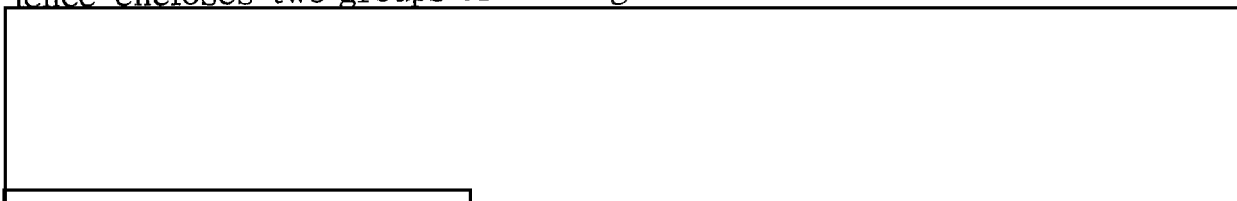
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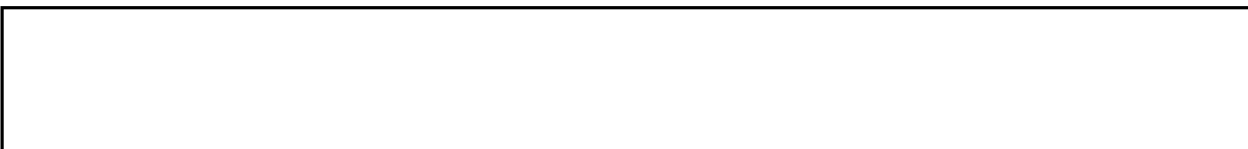
25X1D dimensions. The arrangement, configurations, and approximate dimensions of these buildings are considered analogous to parameters of comparable buildings at Yang-fang. As seen on [] photography, a single security fence encloses two groups of buildings which are similar in arrangement.



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